

Liturgical Music for the Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE HYMN: *We Are Called*

Come! Live in the light!
Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord!
We are called to be light for the kingdom
To live in the freedom of the city of God!

**We are called to act with justice,
We are called to love tenderly,
We are called to serve one another;
To walk humbly with God!**

Sing! Sing a new song!
Sing of that great day when all will be one!
God will reign, and we'll walk with each other
As sisters and brothers united in love!

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GLORIA: [Sung]

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PSALM RESPONSE: *Psalm 90*

**In ev'ry age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.
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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

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OFFERTORY HYMN: *You Are Mine*

I will come to you in the silence,
I will lift you from all your fear.
You will hear my voice, I claim you as my choice,
Be still and know I am here

**Do not be afraid, I am with you.
I have called you each by name.
Come and follow me, I will bring you home;
I love you and you are mine.**

I am hope for all who are hopeless,
I am eyes for all who long to see.
In the shadows of the night, I will be your light,
Come and rest in me.

I am strength for all the despairing,
Healing for the ones who dwell in shame.
All the blind will see, the lame will all run free,
And all will know my name.

I am the Word that leads all to freedom.
I am the peace the world cannot give.
I will call your name, embracing all your pain,
Stand up, now walk, and live!

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HOLY, HOLY: [Sung]

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ACCLAMATION:

We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
and profess your Resurrection
until you come again.

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LAMB OF GOD: [Sung]

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DURING COMMUNION: *Table of Plenty*

**Come to the feast of heaven and earth!
Come to the table of plenty!
God will provide for all that we need,
Here at the table of plenty.**

O, come and sit at my table
Where saints and sinners are friends.
I wait to welcome the lost and lonely
To share the cup of my love.

O, come and eat without money;
Come to drink without price.
My feast of gladness will feed your spirit
With faith and fullness of life.

My bread will ever sustain you
Through days of sorrow and woe.
My wine will flow like a sea of gladness
To flood the depths of your soul.

Your fields will flower in fullness;
Your homes will flourish in peace.
For I, the giver of home and harvest,
Will send my rain on the soil.

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RECESSIONAL:

All the Earth, Proclaim the Lord

**All the earth proclaim the Lord;
Sing your praise to God.**

Know that the Lord is our creator.
Yes, God is our Father; we are his own.

Our Lord is good, his love enduring:
His word is abiding now with us all.

Honor and praise be to the Father,
The Son and the Spirit, world without end.

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PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED: Colin Alldridge, Michael Danaher, Dorothy Atwell, Keith Atwell, John Stoddart & Lynette Bassett.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOM WE REMEMBER: Maria Mieu Nguyen, Francis Xavier Ban Nguyen, Andrew & Mary Killin, Maria Nguyen Thi Nam, Stan Patch, Lobegeiger & Slattery Families, Eric & Peter Tilley, Brian Czulowski, Jack Short, Stan Gehrke, Gerry Thiele, Rocky Millington, Christina & Madonna Garton, Jim Ryan, Jack & Eileen McMahon, Tom & Christina Quinn, Rita Vanderbyl, Fiona Baunach, Brian Meara, Kirtley & Dolan families, Frank & Miriam O'Leary, Audrey & Col Adamson, Eric Cross, Pearl Noonan, Bob, John & Mark Skippington, Val O'Dempsey, Andrej & Mary Janicky, Lucy Janicky, Roy James, Thomas Boyle, Margery Boyle, Bob Cipa, Ellie & Ossie Cody, Mike Cody, Helen Cody, Maureen & Lex Levinson, Fr Harold Buckley, Harry & Marjorie Buckley, Moira Murphy, Melinda & Arthur Murphy, Bernice & Clement Goan, Arthur & Brian Bracey & Grahame Coultas.

LET US PRAY for those who are sick or recovering from surgery: Koretti Manutai, Roy Folan (Yvonne's husband), Diane Brown, Dakoda Smith, Rebecca Smith, Jodie Eade, Jan Stewart, Don Gallaway, Dominic Galligan, Ann Fowler, Martin, Ann Topping, Norma Caldwell, Ron Jones, Monica Jones, Josie Campion, Gen Waters, Jack Burchill, Kody Smith, Theresa Alexander, Joana Ambrad, Nena Preverin, Imogen Smith, Valerie Mills, Sophie Leonard, Kalayanee Jitpakdee, David Stewart, Anthony Eden, Michael Mulkerin, Lachlan Summerville, Margaret Pawson, Concetta Tiberi, Noela Shute, Ethan Bauer, Trish Spark, Philippa Swain, Stuart McLean, Lorraine Murphy, John McKeough, Aiden, Pat Stuart, Bridgette Muller, Errol Nutley, Darcy Watt, Hazel Seller, Lisa Lynch, Minna Ward, Paul McKean, Madge McLennan & Karen Purdie.

We also include in our prayers all the aged and sick to whom we take Communion.

We pray for the safety and good judgement of those serving in our defence forces overseas.

(Please contact us when you feel that it is appropriate to remove the name of your friend or loved one from our Parish Prayer List)

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE ANNIVERSARIES 31 July - 6 August

Christina Garton, Annie Gill, Lloyd Jones and the men who lost their lives at Box Flat, Cecilia Lebler, Rose Lebler, Peter Leadbetter, Gordon Mathews, John Roach, Gerry Thiele, Daisy Broom, Josephine Keenan, Vera & Phonse Tobin, Oscar Cipa, May Harris, Maud Hayes, Bridget Kelly, Colin Roberts, Wilhelm Rohl, Mark Wolff, Marie Faint, Patrick Loye, Patricia Luca, Eddie Mitchell, Ferdinand Ollenburg, Sue Armit, Margaret Caruana, Vincent Coman, Vince Larter, Petra Pontarollo, Meryl Savage, John (Jack) Smith, James Doolan, Johannah Hardy, Gladys Hawkins, Peter Henry, Beaty Kelly & Veronica Roberts.

NEXT WEEK'S LITURGY - GROUP 1

YEAR C – NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1st Reading: Wis 18:6-9 2nd Reading: Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 Gospel Text: Luke 12:32-48

6/7 August	4.30pm Vigil	6.00pm Vigil - Riverview	7.00am	9.00am
READERS	Leanne Cook Karen Sotiriadis Kate Sotiriadis	Jean Siczek ----- -----	Francis Klein Gerard Marsh -----	SCHOOL MASS Years 5 & 6
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Mary Lloyd Lyll Newsome Ben Sotiriadis Jeff Newton -----	Augustine Olamoe Seela Olamoe ----- ----- -----	Bill McCrea Paul Peacock Cathy Peacock Yvonne Folan -----	Pat Smith Donna Conway Peter Conway Irene Murgatroyd -----
ALTAR SERVERS	4.30pm – Michael Morgan, Michael Tate 6.00pm – ----- 9.00am – Gabe Shirley, Sam Morris			
CHURCH CLEANING	Team J			
COUNTERS: -----	FIRST COLLECTION: \$ 1,166-30		SECOND COLLECTION: \$ 1,614-95	

REFLECTION - Both the first reading and the psalm response speak about the transitoriness of life. Life is all we have and it is so fragile, so fleeting. When we realise this, we may fear that in the end we will have nothing to show for our lives. Such thoughts show that we have not learned the most basic lesson of life – life is to be lived!

The goods of the earth are both good and essential for survival and advancement. However, they do not satisfy the deepest longings of the human spirit. They provide us with pleasure and challenge, but they cannot shield us from the transitoriness of life itself. In the face of such impermanence, they are ultimately worthless. Life itself is the far greater good; goods only enhance life.

Recognising the transitoriness of life and the vanity of goods, we come to see that the only reality worthy of our total commitment is our relationship with God in Christ. Though made of dust and thus subject to perishability, we are joined with Christ and are promised imperishability. Having died to the vanities of this world, having taken off our old selves with their evil desires, we can now live as a new self, in generosity rather than greed, with openness to others rather than religious or gender or social biases. In our commitment to Christ we will discover that we can transform what is transitory in life by giving it away in love. If we can live in this way, life is anything but vanity! © Dianne Bergant CSS

